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February 10, 1925

Mr. John W. Garrett,
Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sir:

I have just arrived in New York and it is my intention to remain about three months. While I am here for business reasons, I have planned to extend my knowledge of American collections and museums and I should be grateful to you if you could arrange to show me any picture or work of art that you may possess, at a time convenient to you.

Apart from this possibility, I should appreciate it very much if you would be kind enough to tell me your opinion of the catalogue which I have sent to you. A second and a third section will be forwarded to you later, which can be fitted into the binder enclosing the first part.

Very truly yours,

Kenel Simpson

There is no charge for my catalogue but if you do not care to keep it, please return it to B.C.D., Box 500 Madison Square Post Office, New York City, and they will pay the charges.

February 14, 1925.

Mr. Rene Gimpel
The Ambassador,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of February 10th. I shall be very glad if you come to Baltimore to show you anything you would care to see in my collections. I have not many pictures which would interest you, although there are a few perhaps it would be worth your while to see.

I very much appreciate your sending me the first section of your catalogue which is most impressively gotten up. I am adopting your suggestion and returning it to B.C.D., Box 500 Madison Square Post Office, New York City after having enjoyed looking at it.

Very truly yours,

JWG/S

February 18, 1925.

Mr. John W. Garrett,
Garrett Building,
Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sir:-

Thank you very much for your nice letter which has just come. And as I shall be in Baltimore on Friday of this week, I have telegraphed you -with the thought that this letter might not arrive in time- the following:

> " I shall be in Baltimore Friday of this week and shall come to your Office at half past twelve- if my train is on time- and can see your collection any time between that hour and five o clock.

Thanking you again for your kindness in showing me your collection, I am

Yours very truly,

RG/B

Ren Gimbel

PS/ Won't you please keep my catalogue as it is the only way I have of thanking you for your kindness.

RG.

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